



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Re the Application of:

Jeffrey T. Ellis et al.

Examiner: Jonathan M. Foreman

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For: Guidewire With Chemical Sensing Capabilities

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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Examiner Foreman:

This is a Response to the Office Action dated May 30, 2003, which had a shortened statutory period for reply that ended on September 2, 2003. Enclosed is a Petition for a two month extension of time, extending the period to respond to October 30, 2003.

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